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### House Appropriations Request FY 2010

**Project Name:** First Responder Energy System Hybrids Battery Program

**Recipient:** Medipak Energy Systems

**Recipient Address:** 6110 Grove Crest Court, Suite 432

**Recipient City:** Raleigh

**Recipient State:** NC

**Recipient Zip:** 27613

**Amount of Request:** \$1,500,000

**Explanation of the request (must include purpose and why it is a valuable use of taxpayer funds):**

A similar tactical energy system hybrid program for Special Operators executed by this company was supported by approximately \$3 million in past Research, Development, Test & Evaluation (RDTE&E) funding and has resulted in taxpayer savings of approximately \$12 million. Taxpayers will continue to save at similar rates with the development of rechargeable energy systems for Army Tactical combat casualty care. Systems also pay for themselves in 6 months because expensive disposable batteries are replaced by rechargeable batteries with lifetimes of several years, which results in savings to Operations & Maintenance (O&M) budgets of millions of dollars.

*In order to offer more opportunity for public scrutiny, I have posted information on each project request submitted to the Appropriations Committee at the time the request was made.*

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